

Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
Art Unit 2624, Expedited Procedure

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
MASAHIRO IWADATE ) Examiner: Stephen M. Brinich  
Appln. No.: 09/479,214 ) Art Unit: 2624  
Filed: January 7, 2000 )  
For: IMAGE OUTPUT APPARATUS )  
AND METHOD OF )  
CONTROLLING SAME ) February 13, 2006

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 13, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The specification changes begin on page 2, amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 3, and the Remarks begin on page 9.